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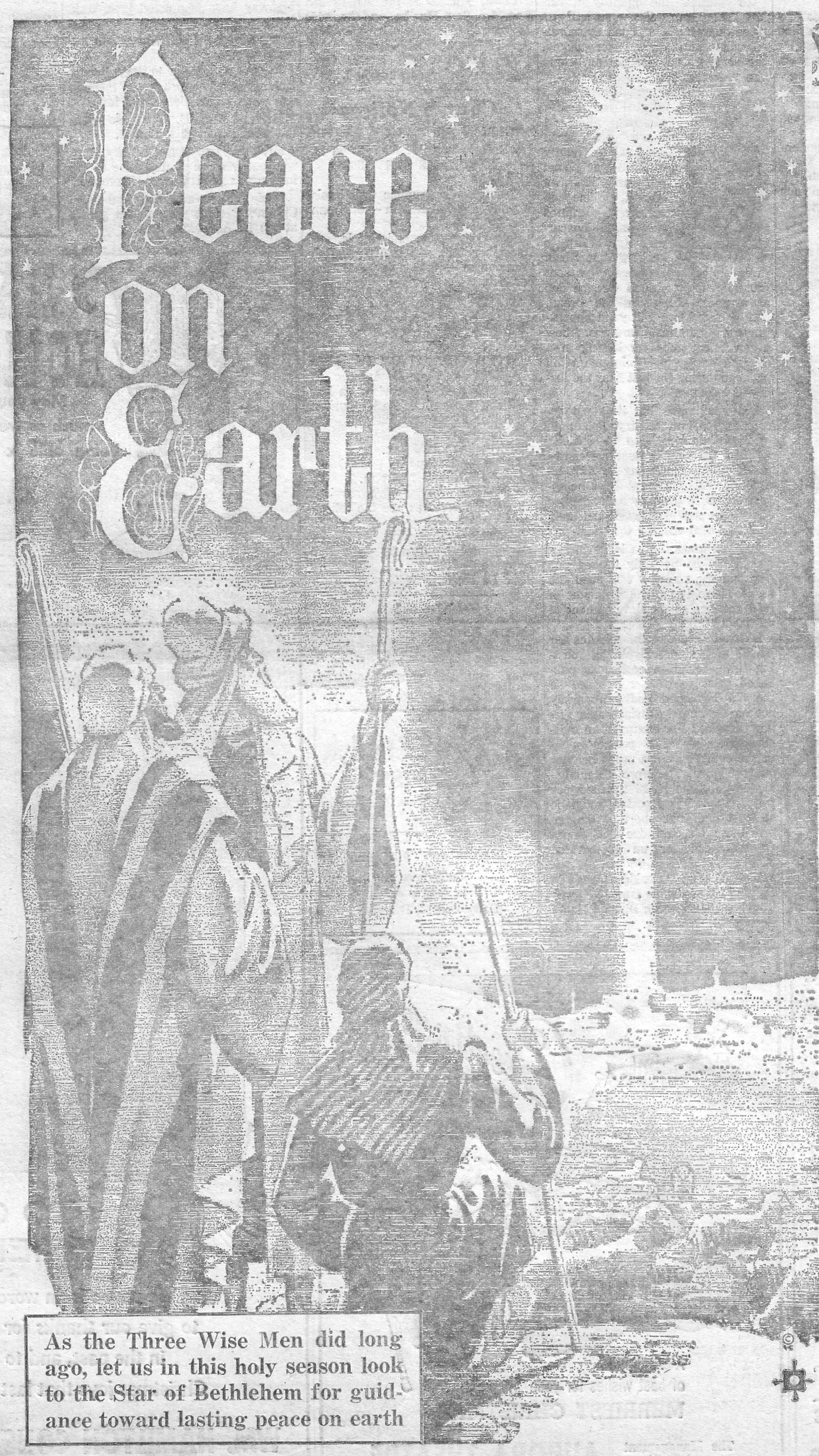

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Most of the quips attributed to public characters are imaginary.

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The Homemaker

By B. M. McCUTCHEON, District Home Economist, Westlock

COOKING OUR CHRISTMAS TURKEY

To estimate the quantity of turkey required, allow one-half to three quarters of a pound eviscerated whole, half or quarter turkey, per serving (not per person; some like "seconds").

B. McCutcheon

To estimate the quantity of bread needed for poultry stuffing, allow ¾ cup of bread crumbs (lightly packed) per pound of poultry, undrawn weight, or one cup of bread crumbs per pound eviscerated (ready to cook) weight. About three slices of bread (without crusts) will be needed for one cup of crumbs. Using unsliced bread, one 24 ounce loaf will yield approximately eight cups of crumbs. Allow a few extra cups for baking in a covered casserole or aluminum foil package during the last hour the turkey is cooking.

Did you know that it is not recommended that poultry be stuffed the day before it is to be roasted? It takes too long to heat the centre of the chilled dressing to 165 degrees F. This temperature is necessary to insure that any food spoilage organisms are destroyed and may result in over-cooking the meat.

Did you know that a large turkey should not be partially cooked one day and the roasting continued the next? There is too much danger of food spoilage or the development of off-flavors taking place.

Did you know that the minutes per pound method of calculating roasting time, found in cookbooks published prior to 1957, was based on the old fashioned undrawn turkey not on the modern eviscerated turkey (drawn)? For example, an eviscerated turkey of 18 pounds would be the equivalent of a much heavier undrown bird. Therefore, calculated at the old time of 18 minutes per pound, the cooking period would be at least one hour short of the approximate six and one half hours recommended for an eviscerated bird of this size.

A publication, "Cooking Canada's Turkey," is available free of charge from the office of the District Home Economist, Westlock.

George Muzika Weds Eunice Enns

GRASSLAND—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Leshchyshyn and family left on Friday to attend the wedding of Mr. Leshchyshyn's nephew, Const. Geo. Muzika, of Vegreville, and Miss Eunice Enns, of Radisson, Sask.

The ceremony took place at the Radisson United church.

Const. Muzika is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Muzika, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Enns, of Radisson.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at Tweedsmuir hall.

Church Notices

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA
Rector, Rev. W. A. Swinton
CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Rich Lake
Christmas Communion and Carols. Monday, December 24th — 2:00 p.m.

Lac La Biche
Holy Communion and Carols. December 24th, — 11:30 p.m., Holy Communion — 8:30 a.m. — December 25th.

Wandering River
Holy Communion and Carols. December 25th — 11:00 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Minister, Rev. D. Auten

Notice of worship services on Lac La Biche pastoral charge for Sunday, December 23, are as follows:
McRae — 10:30 a.m.
Rich Lake — 1:00 p.m.
Kikino — 3:30 p.m.
Lac La Biche — 7:00 p.m.

For the Christmas Eve services the worship services are the following:
Goodrich — 12:30 p.m.
Hylo-Noral — 4:00 p.m.
Atmore — 7:30 p.m.
Lac La Biche — 11:00 p.m.

Noral

Metro Woychuk and Cliff Henson have attended a two-day scaling course held in Athabasca. Some 20 tower men and rangers attended the school.

Cliff Henson and sons Ray and Fred, also his son-in-law, were big game hunting last week.

Pete Krawchuk, John Palylyk, George Gordey, Mike Kniagky and George and John Skoreyko were big game hunting recently, but were unsuccessful. Peter Krawchuk and John Palylyk made a second trip to hunt big game.

The men cutting the proposed new highway have completed their task.

Mrs. G. Hansen travelled to Edmonton to spend Christmas with her daughters.

Steve Onciul was in this district looking over the brush for farmers who wish to bull-doze their land.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Grove spent the weekend in this district.

Mr. and rMs. John Sorotsky were weekend visitors at the home of the former's cousin George Skoreyko.

Annie Muise and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Melliot were recent guests at the E. Anderson home.

Family Surprises Esdras Belanger

PLAMONDON—A family reunion was held at the home of Esdras Belanger in honor of his 70th birthday.

All of his nine children were present for the occasion: Harold and Paul of Plamondon; Mrs. Dale Mellott of Grassland; Mrs. Armand Beaudoin of Beaumont; Mrs. Billy McMillan, Mrs. Bernard Dakin, Wilbert Hubert and Ovella, all of Edmonton.

"Because the King is on the side that doesn't get licked."

Be sure to read the account of the FUA Convention as it appears in Alberta Country Life.

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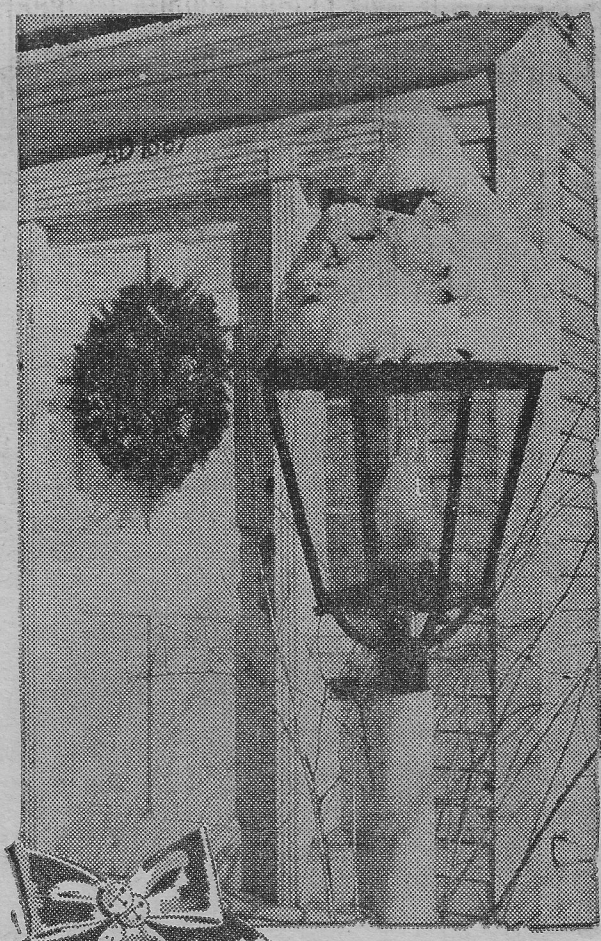

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Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE — Patients admitted to St. Catherine's Hospital, Dec. 8 to Dec. 15:

Hormidas Berard, Mrs. Joe Ariel, Caslan; Mary Cardinal, Barry Rizzoli, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Solomon Desjarlais, Imperial Mills; Mrs. Joseph Bonifacio, Kaled Hejazi, Lac la Biche; Mrs. John Deihl, Grandin; Mrs. Nick Strayski. Wandering River; Martin Howse, Kikino; Mrs. Herman Harpe, Mrs. Jeanne Malouvet, John Oshanyk, Lac la Biche; Ephrem Cloutier, Mrs. Maggie Cardinal, Lac la Biche Mission; Agnes Devanthey, Leon Desjarlais, Mrs. Ida Whitford, Patti-Jean Mackriss, Alex Onufreiw, Atmore;

Elizabeth Abramic, McRae; Mrs. Clara Ostiguy, Mrs. Marya Lewicki, Mrs. Vital Boucher, Mrs. Beatrice Baglot, Lac la Biche; Roy Kanzig, Plamondon; Raphael Janvier, Chard; Mrs. William Beaudet, Plamondon; Mrs. Peter Erasmus, McRae; Walter Fedrick, Blue Jay; Mrs. Steve Yakimec, Lac la Biche; Robert Gladue, Caslan; Michael Steffin, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Dick Calliou, Kikino; Mrs. Steve Paskar, Emiline Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Peter Whitford, Kikino.

CRADLE ROLL

Born to:

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Boucher, Lac la Biche, a boy, Dec. 9;

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Macor, Venice, a girl, Dec. 14;

Mr. and Mrs. George Cardinal, Conklin, a boy, Dec. 14.

Turkey Bingo Coming Event

PLAMONDON—A 20 turkey bingo, sponsored by the Plamondon Hockey Club, will be held in the Plamondon Community hall, Friday, Dec. 21 at 8:00 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Institue Will Invite Mixed Choir To Visit Lac La Biche Next Spring

LAC LA BICHE — The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute as well as the annual meeting and election of officers was held in the rumpus room at the Marshall Hamar home Dec. 10. Fifteen members were present to hear reports of the past year's activities. Several thank-you notes were read from the High School students who had received WI scholarships.

A letter was read from D. J. Peterkin from the Cultural Activities Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary, stating that the only date the University Mixed Choir could come to Lac la Biche is May 18. Billeting for one night, also supper and breakfast would be required for the group. A sponsoring organization would be required. A motion was passed to invite the chorus to come on that date.

Reports were heard from the treasurer, Mrs. E. J. Woynarowich; secretary, Mrs. J. Booker; hospital convener, Mrs. J. Zaluzny; library treasurer, Mrs. H. Linnell and library convener, Mrs. W. E. Coast. They all showed a marked increase of funds and activity over the previous year. The treasurer's report showed that the sum of $558.34 had been received during the year and $447.42 had been spent. Mrs. Coast reported that $1165.95 had been received in grants, fees and bingos. The sum of $916.87 had been spent on books this year as compared with $648.92 last year. The report also revealed there are 620 memberships in the library, only 29 of which are adults. There are now 5000 books, 1017 being adult reading.

The slate of officers selected by the nominating committee was adopted in its entirety. They are: president, Mrs. W. Reid; vice-president, Mrs. H. Senetza; secretary, Mrs. J. Booker; treasurer, Mrs. E. Cunningham.

A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring president, Mrs. Marshall Hamar, and the retiring treasurer, Mrs. E. Woynarowich having served as treasurer for four continuous years and Mrs. Hamar being president for the past year.

A motion was passed to donate a number of the older adult books to some library that could use them. A vote of thanks was tendered the members of the library committee for their untiring efforts on behalf of the Library. It was announced that library affairs were running smoothly but volunteer help is urgently needed.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Reid with Mrs. S. Hamar co-hostess.

Plamondon

Mr. and Mrs. Germain Labonte have moved to their home in town.

Real Richard made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Marten Schaub visited his wife who is a patient in the General hospital in Edmonton.

A few persons attended the turkey bingo in Venice. Rev. J. M. Martineau won a turkey.

Christmas Greetings

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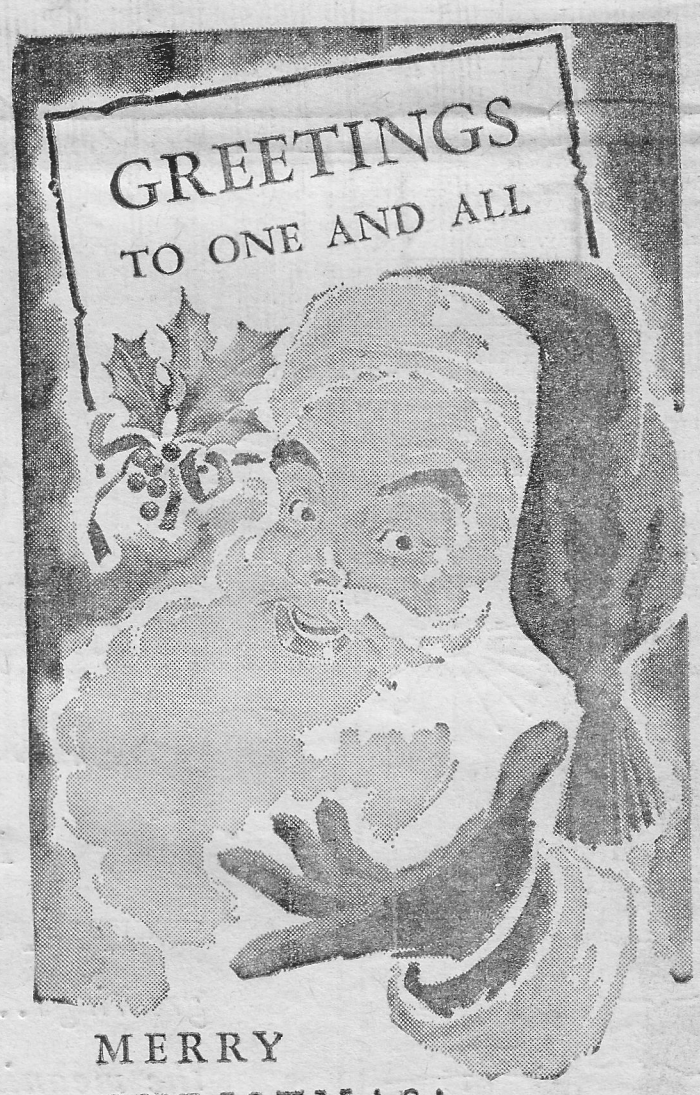

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

May your holiday be as bright as Santa's red suit, as gay as his twinkling eyes and as wonderful as the tradition of St. Nick!

GENERAL AUTO REPAIRS

LAC LA BICHE Alberta

Liberals Will Name Candidates

By DAVE HUNTER,
Party Leader

The Liberal Party of Alberta through the constituency organizations plans to nominate candidates under the Liberal banner throughout Alberta. The Alberta Liberal Party Executive Director, Bob Russell, and myself, Dave Hunter, the Alberta Liberal Leader, know of no joint candidate arrangements that have been made by any Liberal constituency organization for the next Alberta Provincial election.

The Alberta Liberal Party re-affirms its belief in the rights of the individual citizens and each constituency organization to nominate the candidate of their choice. Where an injustice exists under present Alberta legislation, the Alberta Liberal Party pledges itself to the people of Alberta to correct the injustice immediately we receive the support of the Alberta voters.

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SEASON FOR CAMERAS. Six-year-old Linda Strachan is a little girl with big photographic ideas about Christmas. She knows that this is the happiest of holidays for taking colorful photographs . . . for when else can she get all kinds of things from angels to flying reindeer into the picture?

Wandering River

Mr. Archie LeBlanc of Drumheller is a guest of his children Wilfred and Mrs. LeBlanc and family and Mrs. Adelard Gaucher and Mr. Gaucher and family.

Mrs. Nick Strayski is a patient in St. Catherines Hospital suffering a fractured ankle.

Mr. V. Shapka was a successful applicant as caretaker of the curling. rink. Ice is now being made and anyone interested in curling this season should contact the president, Peter Ponich.

Eli Beraska recently purchased a 1963 Dodge car from Crosstown Motors in Edmonton. Bill Beraska is the owner of a 1963 Mercury Meteor car.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beraska and Mr. and Mrs. Metro Trefenanko are sharing congratulations on the arrival of a grandson, Keith Alan weighing 7½ pounds. Proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Orest Beraska of Lac la Biche.

Curling News

GRASSLAND—Warm weather has prevented opening of the curling rink at Grassland, but Wilf Johnson, the new caretaker, is waiting for a cold snap to start flooding operations.

Miss Mary Leshchyshyn has been chosen to supervise the lunch counter.

As another year passes by, we wish to thank our many friends for their kind favors and much appreciated patronage.

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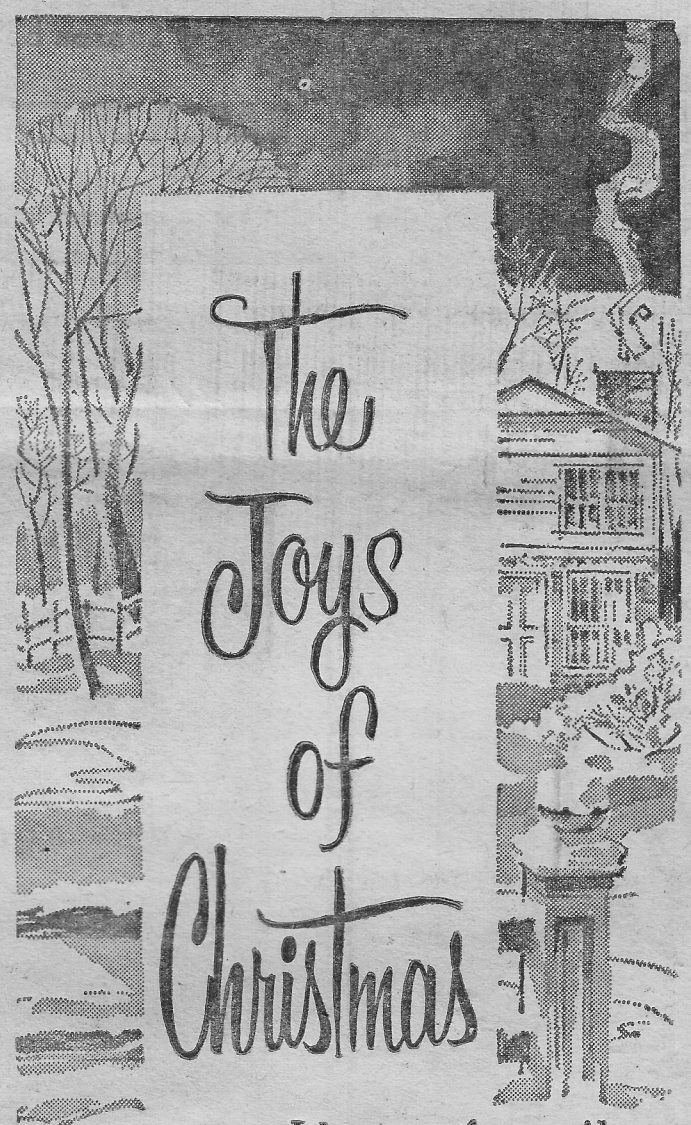
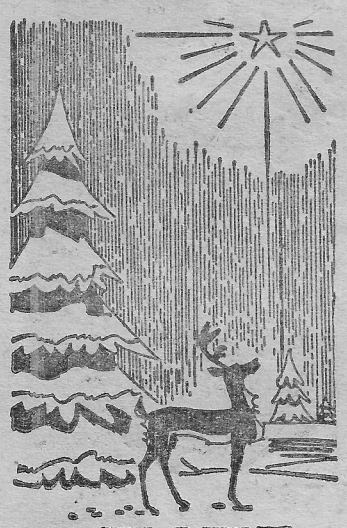


It's time for gaily wrapped presents and warm greetings... for rejoicing in the meaning of Christmas. At this happy time, we extend our best wishes to all.

The Mayor and Councillors of The Town of McMurray



JOY

... and gladness to one and all this Christmas!

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Church News

WANDERING RIVER

An early Christmas party was recently held in the community hall for the junior children. The party was arranged by Rev. W. A. Swinton of the Anglican Church, and consisted of a full evening of games and recitations, with a short movie of a Christmas story.

Following the entertainment refreshments were served by the mothers. A good evening was enjoyed by all.

RICH LAKE

A Christmas party for the Anglican congregation of Rich Lake was held on December 3 at the school house. The evening was made up of games and fun for both children and parents alike.

A movie was shown of Christmas as it was enjoyed about 60 years ago. The setting of this story was in Wiscousin, where a farm family gathers together around the family table on Christmas. All members of the family enjoy the prayers, carols and gifts, and the turkey dinner, which are a part of every Christmas.

Following the entertainment, refreshments were served by the ladies.

Lac la Biche Mission

Ephream Cloutier went to St. Catherine Hospital for medical treatment.

Rev. Father Leduc from Namao came to visit Rev. Father Picotte. Father Leduc will go to the Congo in March with the military.

Rev. Brother Tetrault his gone on his holidays to Montreal to visit his relations. He has not visited in the east for six years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bouque came back to Lac la Biche for a few weeks.

Properly advertised a good product will sell; unadvertised it may or may not sell.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Pastor: Mr. Jake Plett

LAC LA BICHE

Sunday—
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday and Friday—
Religious Instruction, 3:15-3:45
Young People's Meeting—Every Second Friday, 8:00 p.m.

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Sunday—
Sunday School and Worship Service, 2:30 p.m.

Thursday—
Religious Instruction, 3:00-3:30
Young People's Meeting—Every Second Friday, 8:00 p.m.

CANADIAN SOLDIERS RETURN FROM EUROPE FOR CHRISTMAS

ST. JOHN, N.B.—It will be Christmas at home for more than 1,000 Canadian soldiers and their dependents who arrived here Tuesday, (Dec. 18) morning aboard the 25,500 ton Canadian Pacific liner, Empress of Britain.

The gleaming white Empress is acting as a troopship this voyage. She sailed from Bremerhaven, Germany, Dec. 10 carrying the homeward-bound members of the 8th Canadian Hussars, Eastbound from Montreal last month, she carried members of the Fort Garry Horse regiment to postings in Europe. The movements are part of the Canadian Army's troop rotation plan.

An 18-car Canadian Pacific boat train was waiting at dockside in West St. John when the homecoming Canadians disembarked. More than 400 were destined for the Montreal area, with more than 150 heading for Toronto, 125 for points between Montreal and Sudbury, including Ottawa and Pembroke, and 19 for western Canada. The boat train left St. John at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, arriving Montreal at 8:25 a.m. Wednesday morning, Dec. 19.

The Empress of Britain, under command of Capt. L. H. Johnston is the first Canadian Pacific vessel to call at St. John, the fleet's Canadian winter terminal. This season, in her holds, the Britain is carrying 1,000 bags of mail from overseas.

The liner is due to sail Dec. 21 for Liverpool and will spend Christmas on the broad Atlantic.

E. Cunningham Feted On Birthday

Mr. E. Cunningham recently celebrated his 65th birthday, with a number of friends at his home here.

This date was significant for, except for the fact that he was forced by ill health to retire two years ago, he would have completed 50 years of service with the railroad. He had been 48 years with the company.

Twin Spruce

Weekend visitors at the home of John Fedun included Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kuzyk and Victor Kuzyk.

Many people were fishing here at Buck Lake, last weekend.

Harry Fedun is now employed at a glass plant at Bruderheim.

Miss Sylvia Horhut attended a 4-H meeting held at Grassland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horhut and Sylvia made a business trip to Lac la Biche.

People of this district are busy filling out forms, applying for electricity.

Alec Hrycun is moving to Boyle for the winter.

Friends helped celebrate Sylvia Horhut's birthday recently.

We observe that the post-office delivers tax-due notices on time.

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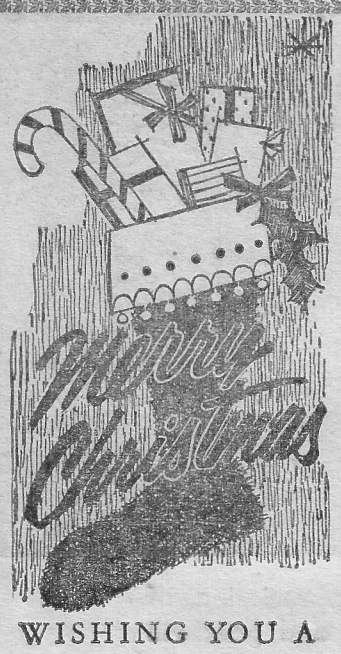
The Mayor and Councillors of The Town of Lac la Biche



WISHING YOU A HOLIDAY FILLED WITH HAPPINESS!
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Merry Christmas
Best wishes for a joyous Noel to all our wonderful friends.
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SOME FUR! Any wife who has been hinting that she would like fur for Christmas couldn't possibly be disappointed to find a bundle of fur such as this in her stocking on Christmas morning. Or could she?

Hon. A. R. Patrick Receives 2,000,000th Chest X-Ray

A significant event took place in Lacombe when Hon. A. R. Patrick journeyed to Lacombe for the purpose of receiving the 2,000,000th Chest X-ray under the facilities provided for this service by the Alberta Tuberculosis Association, in co-operation with the Provincial Department of Health. It is just a co-incidence that a similar event was marked in Lacombe in September 1954 when the 1,000,000th chest X-ray was provided to Mrs. Frances (Percy) Dilworth.

The first mobile X-Ray unit was purchased in 1943 and the second in 1945. These units operated during the summer mosths visiting all areas in the province until 1955 when they were replaced by modern demountable X-Ray equipment which is stored in the vans for moving purposes and set up in school auditoriums or community halls, in each location, thus permitting year round operations regardless of weather conditions.

Customarily, surveys are carried on in rural areas and smaller centres during the summer months and in the cities in the winter. About 160,000 people have chest X-Rays annually in more than 175 communities.

The organizing of the surveys is arranged by the TB Association through local groups who do a tremendous amount of voluntary work registering the residents of the area for attendance at the clinics.

Since the service was inaugurated, close to 16,000 cases of tuberculosis (active and inactive) have been found, and more than 50,000 other abnormalities of the chest requiring medical attention. During recent years there has been a disturbing increase in the number of cases of lung cancer. A recent check indicated that one case of lung cancer was being found in every 950 films.

Correct this sentence: "Yes, I filled your order at a loss, but, then, it was a pleasure to help an old customer!"

Helina

Dougall Saunders shot two timberwolves on Frenchman Lake after running them down with his car.

Dave and Arnold Onciul are working in the lumber camp near Kinuso. George Suhan, who began work there the first part of the month, is home due to illness.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Union was held in the hall December 13. The executive was unchanged.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whelen over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Erwin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Atfield and family, and Lloyd Whelen of Edmonton.

Welcome to . . .

WATERWAYS BAPTIST CHURCH

SERVICES

Sunday — Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday — Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.

Friday — Young Peoples 8:00 p.m.

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Christmas Greetings

and BEST WISHES for a

Happy New Year

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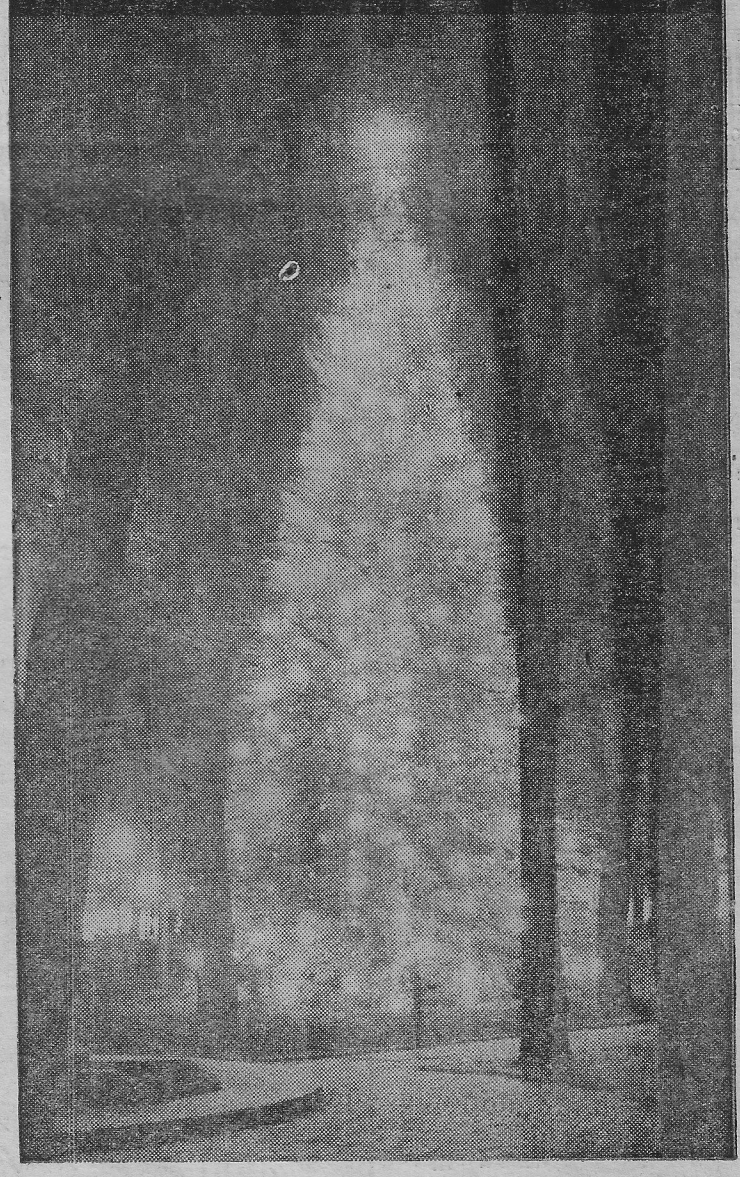

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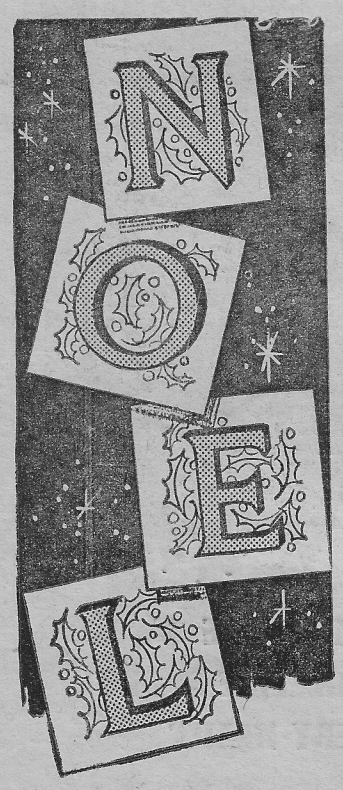

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Christmas And New Year's Eve Work Practices Differ Widely

In addition to Christmas, Boxing Day and New Year's Day Holidays, Federal civil servants will be given a holiday with pay on Mondays, Dec. 24 and 31. Provincial civil servants will be given a holiday with pay on Dec. 24, but will work 'as usual' on Dec. 31. City employees are normally let off at 3:00 p.m. on Dec. 24 and will work as usual on Dec. 31.

A telephone poll of a cross-section of member firms produced no conclusive results; however, most firms will operate as usual on Dec. 24 and 31. Many firms make a practice of letting employees of early (any time from noon on) on December 24th. Plants with continuous operations will work throughout the holiday period although some supporting personnel will be let off early on the 24, while others will work Saturdays in lieu of Mondays off.

Banks will open both days as usual. A few firms will close entirely both days and will make up the time on prior Saturdays.

At least one firm will give one-half of their staff a day off on the 24 and the other half will be given the 31. Firms with labour agreements will be guided by them.

Avenir

Mrs. Gabe Plamondon of Fort Smith and a friend visited for a few days at the Tibert Plamondon Home. Mrs. Gable is convalescing following surgery in an Edmonton hospital.

Romeo Plamondon's little son Steve had the misfortune to tip over a basin of boiling water and received second degree burns to one side, shoulder and arm. He is still in the hospital but is progressing rapidly.

Rev. Father Ed Douziech of Breynat was here to say mass Dec. 9. He was driven by Marcel Hebert of Breynat.

Tri-City Drilling Company, who had their drilling outfit set up two miles from here have finished and moved out.

Gravel trucks were in operation here for a couple of days hauling fine gravel on the road from Aurel Plamondon towards town.

A mutal shower was held recently at the home of Mrs. Daniel Plamondon in honor of Mrs. Ted St. Jean and Mrs. Ben Germain.

Former Owl River School Moved Away

OWL RIVER—It is to be regretted that the former Owl River School, which has been used for several years benefitting the community as a Sunday School, conducted by Mrs. McFarland, has been torn down and moved away.

Mrs. McCormic is helping with this work and teachers at Owl River.

A small room is now being erected in which to hold the services on the property of Fred Manuwich.

Christmas Concert Presented To Mewburn Patients

The 20th Century Women's Liberal Club put on a Christmas Tree Concert for the patients at the Mewburn Pavilion. A new silver tree, decorated by members of the club, was presented to the patients. Jack Jones was the master of ceremonies for the program which included group carol singing.

Miss Wendy Relf and Valerie Lewis performed Scottish dances.

Solos were sung by Mrs. J. Chatlin, Mrs. Kay Gleed, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Campbell and Jack Jones. They were accompanied by Mrs. Russell Johnson, Mrs. E. Scott and J. McGowan.

Twenty-six patients attended the concert in the auditorium. Carol singing was done in the wards for those unable to leave their bedsides. Individual hampers were given the patients of cigarettes, oranges, nuts and candy.

Helina

Einar Huser, Bill Suhan and Bud Huffman hunted in the Whitecourt district last week.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Suhan are the couple's daughter her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller, who have been living in Saskatchewan.

An exit door has been put in the hall. The Rich Lake elementary grades held a very successful dance in it December 7. The next dance in the hall is scheduled for December 28, with music by the Kozekavich band.

Little Donald Suhan was a patient in the Lac La Biche hospital for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hannah of Fort Saskatchewan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Knapp celebrated their thirty-first wedding anniversary at the dance Friday night.

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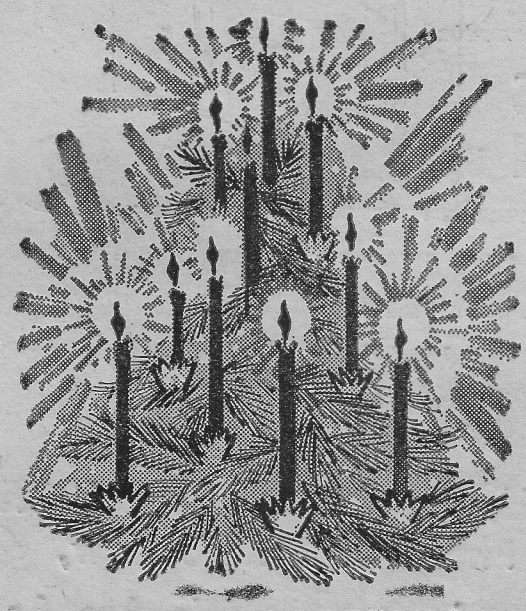

HOLIDAY GREETINGS

May your home be aglow with all the joy of the Christmas season.

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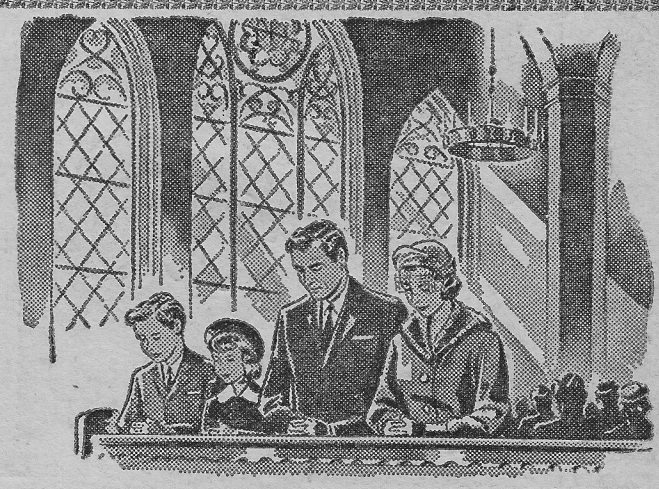

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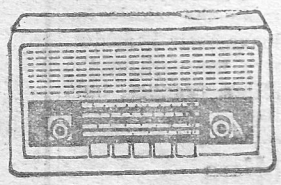

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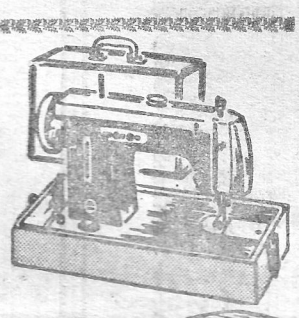

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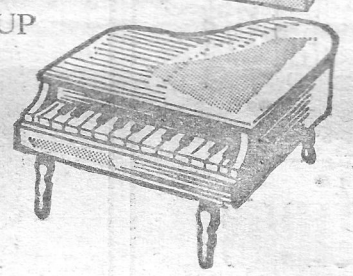

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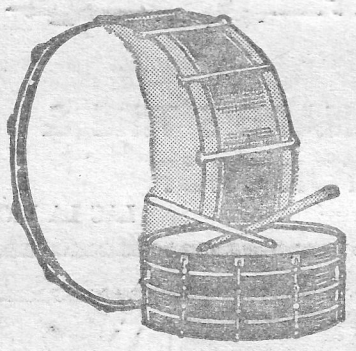

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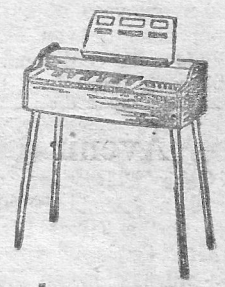

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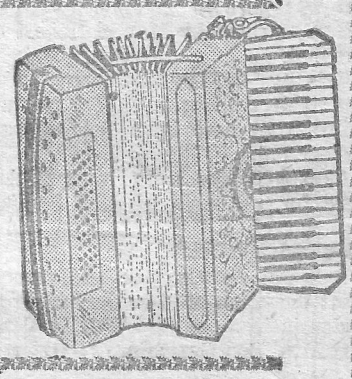

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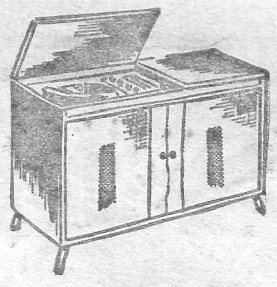

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County Still Within Budget But Tax Collections Slow

At the recent meeting of the County Council many small matters came up for attention in an effort to clear up work left undone during the year. Present at the meeting were Chairman E. Loxam, Councillors L. R. Duplessis, M. Krajacic, V. M. Breckenridge, J. Shimonichek, J. Davaduik, G. Weldon, and Walter J. Leskiw, sec.-treas.

A detailed financial statement was presented, indicating that the County Council is within the budget. However, the tax collections were far behind those of last year.

Reports were made on the following:

Charles Mellott drainage, councillor Duplessis has completed some of the work.

Grove drainage: nothing has yet been done.

Culvert at NE 2-64-20, has been repaired and some pipe replaced.

The George Rabin claim regarding drainage is still under discussion.

The Bower-Devlin drainage complaint: some work was being done at the time of the meeting.

Flat Creek drainage: a delegation of Ray Parson, Brian Wiskelis and Nick Nikipilo appeared. They were advised the County will hold a meeting in the Flat Lake area for discussion with all the parties concerned.

The Peter Tarasiewicz water complaint was investigated and reported, no action was taken.

The claim of Metro Chamzuk for fence damage is still not settled.

Councillor Ed Parr gave notice of motion that he felt there was a need, because of many requests for better roads, for a survey to be made and a construction engineer employed for this purpose.

A Hartley and M. Krumpic appeared wanting consideration to provide roads to subdivision on Amisk Lake and Skeleton Lake respectively.

Some arrangements have been made in regard to a culvert for Joe Adamkewicz.

South Athabasce Mutual Telephone Co. presented an account relative to brushing road allowances. It was left until the next meeting.

The government made its annual request for applications for Contingency roads from the County, The County will request completion of those now under construction and also requests the connection from Donatville to 7-13E be considered as new contingency road.

Bridges or large culverts have been authorized by the Bridge Branch at W/NW 9-65-19; W/SW 11-65-21; SE 20-66-22; NE 21-63-23 and S/SE 4-65-23.

Secretary Leskiw requested the miles of road construction built with the assistance of provincial road grants and the number constructed only on Country funds.

Dan Lys was given permission for erection of a power line.

An investigation will be made into the complaint that a culvert installed in April was bulldozed out.

A complaint from Mrs. G. K. Johnson regarding damage to a fence was investigated and a settlement arrived at.

An area was granted on the NW 11-65-22 for waste disposal as long as sanitary regulations are adhered to.

Seventeen cases of welfare were discussed.

Councillor Krajacic will investigate the complaint of F. W. Masur regarding damage to a fence.

Councillor Duplessis will investigate the claim of M. Chamzuk, who did some work and was not paid.

The appointment of A. C. Hansen as representative of the Village of Boyle on the School Committee was approved.

A requested change in the size of Lot 1 Block 6 Island Lake requires the approval of the County before the Town and Rural Planning will register.

An extension was granted the Grassland Rural Electrification Association.

A letter was read regarding Open House to mark the 10th anniversary of St. Vincent de Paul Home.

Mrs. R. Horn requested permission for admittance of her mother to Canada. It was given.

E. F. Gerlach was appointed poundkeeper at Rochester.

Diane Kozak, RN Goes To New York

LAC LA BICHE—Friends of Miss Diane Kozak, RN, will be pleased to hear that she is now on the staff of the Columbia Presbyterian Medical Centre in Manhattan Island, New York.

Diane, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kazak of Lac la Biche, graduated from the University hospital, Edmonton, in the class of '61. She has been nursing in the University hospital until going to New York this fall.

Frains

Many people are fishing at Buck Lake.

John Nahrabinchuk is working at Shapka's sawmill.

Weekend visitors home from Edmonton were Fred and Stella Shyian, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Greschuk and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Plachner.

Jack Shwetz, accompanied by Mr. Pisarewski and Mary Pisarewski, were in Edmonton recently.

William Smith was in the city on business recently.

Cradle Roll

AVENIR— Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Germain are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Ronald. He weighed 8 lbs., 4 oz. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Germain of Breynot.

Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Plamondon are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter recently.

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR BOARD OF SCHOOL DIVISION

(Section 132(1))

Nominations for the office of divisional trustee for Sub-division No. 1 of the Lac la Biche School Division No. 51 of the Province of Alberta will be received by the undersigned at his office in the Town of Lac la Biche, Alberta, until 5 p.m. o'clock on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of January, 1963.

Nomination and acceptance forms (Forms G and H) may be obtained from the secretary of your School District, or from the undersigned.

S. J. CLARKE, Secretary,
Lac la Biche School Division No. 51,
Lac la Biche, Alberta.

NOTICE

1080 Baits in L.I.D. No. 102, 1962

The 1080 poison baits for coyote control have been placed in locations as follows in L.I.D. No. 102:

Bait No.	Farmer's Name	Address	Land Location
1	N. Letourneau	Lac La Biche	NE 20-66-14-4
2	Crown Land (Henry Thereau)	Plamondon	NE 32-67-15-4
3	Crown Land (E. Gingras)	Lac La Biche	SE 36-65-14-4
4	W. Mitchell	Wandering River	NW 16-72-17-4
5	Crown Land (J. W. Myers)	Amesbury	SW 13-70-17-4
6	Crown Land	Lac La Biche	SW 2-65-13-4
7	R. S. Wunder	Grassland	SE 15-69-18-4
8	Crown Land (R. Tillapaugh)	Goose Lake	SW 8-65-11-4
9	Ed Weinzierl	Noral	NW 21-65-16-4
10	O. Waschuk	Hylo	NW 14-66-16-4
11	Joe Lessard	Lac La Biche	NW 16-65-12-4
12	Crown Land (Max Stevens)	Rich Lake	SE 27-63-11-4
13	Crown Land (Lyle Steed)	Charron	SW 1-69-17-4

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Caslan

The brushing work has been completed in this area on a newly surveyed road between Caslan and Hylo.

Mrs. Robins has taken over the teaching duties in the junior room at the Caslan school, replacing Mrs. Helen Gordon.

Mrs. Donald Henson has been a patient in the Athabasca hospital.

Donald Gordon of Fort Smith, N.W.T., visited relatives in the district recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robins have moved into the house on Mrs. Slamko's farm.

The Caslan Home and School Association sponsored a bingo party on the evening of December 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gregorowich and Mrs. M. Bourque and family were recent visitors in the district.

Willard and Lloyd Wolansky came from Edmonton and spent the weekend at the home of their parents

Mrs. Katie Cardinal has a new granddaughter, with a girl being born to her daughter Maggie.

Card of Thanks

To our many friends who accorded us such graciousness while in Lac la Biche, and for your kind gestures and gifts upon our departure, we send thanks and Christmas greeting.

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RED CROSS WILL CONDUCT SAFETY COURSE

The Alberta Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society, Water Safety Service, will conduct a Water Safety Instructor Training course at the University of Alberta in the Physical Education Building during the Christmas Holiday season. The course will begin Dec. 26 at 10 a.m. in Room 127 of the Physical Education Building. Professor M. F. R. Smith will conduct the course.

All applicants should hold the Red Cross Senior Swimmer award plus a life saving award or equivalent. Instructor candidates must be 18 years of age to be eligible for the Water Safety Instructor award and Senior Leader candidates must be at least 16 years of age. The course will continue from Dec. 26 to 30, inclusive.

Application forms are available from: The Canadian Red Cross Society, Water Safety Service, 9931-106 Street, Edmonton. At present there is room for 10 more candidates to take the course.

Breynat

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ponich of Edmonton were visitors in the district for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyarsky and Mr. and Mrs. Alec Bobichuk from Edmonton were visiting relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Metro Tufanenko are the proud grandparents of a boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Orest Beraska, nee Gladys Trefanenko, at Lac la Biche Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dupre and Robert have moved to their camp at Pollock's where they will be employed for the winter. x

Marcel and Lionel Hebert and Romeo and Eugene Duperron will also be employed by Pollock.

Mike Halun of Redwater was a recent visitor of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Zayonc.

Martin and Louis Bocher of Smoky Lake were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zayonc.

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Vilna Man Suffers Severe Gas Burns

VILNA—Alex Viteychuk suffered fairly severe burns to his arms when attempting to start a car. He poured gas into the carburetor of an engine and it backfirel.

The unfortunate part is that his wife is in hospital with a crippled ankle and that put two people from one household out of commission.

GREETINGS and our best wishes for a cheerful CHRISTMAS

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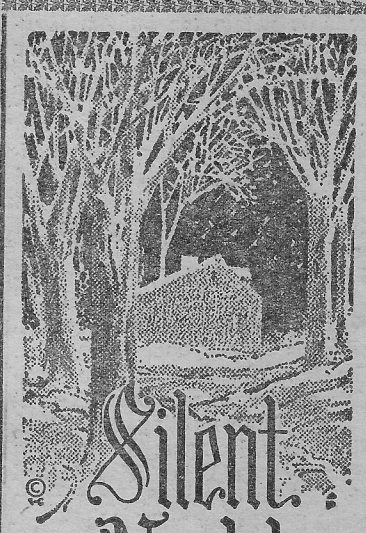

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Funeral Rites Held For Estelle Hague

BOYLE— Funeral services were held for Mrs. Estelle Delia Hague who passed away in Edmonton after a short illness. She was 61 years of age.

Mrs. Hague was born in Riverpoint, U.S.A. She arrived in Canada and in this district in 1913.

She was predeceased by one sister, Virginia Alberts.

She is survived by her husband George of Boyle; one son, S. M. Hague and two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Hanen and Mrs. H. H. Coutrell, all of Boyle; and one sister, Mrs. Valerie Boutellian, United States.

Funeral services were conducted at St. Paul's Church, Boyle, by the Rev. Mr. Corness. Organist was Mrs. Joan Radmanovich.

Pallbearers were Fred LaChance, Carl Wilson, J. Madsen, Hans Madsen, Dr. E. K. Wright and Nick Berzowski.

Interment was in the Boyle Cemetery.

Athabaska Funeral Services Ltd. Athabasca, was in charge.

A reputation, acquired through publicity, is not to be confused with character, acquired through living.

Boyle Co-op Women's Guild Approves Agenda for New Year

The meeting of the Boyle Co-op Women's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. Pauline Letersky. There were eight members and two visitors present.

The secretary for the Guild is Mrs. Elsie Barroniuk.

The members approved of the agenda for the new year that the executive had drawn up at its last meeting.

It was decided to hold a Christmas party for the Co-op employees, directors, Guild members and their respective families.

The date for the next meeting will be announced later.

Paul Fedec Awarded Memorial Bursary

BOYLE—Paul Fedec, a local boy who is attending the Vermilion School of Agriculture. was one of six farm young people who have been awarded Henry Wise Wood Memorial Bursaries valued at $135. each.

Twenty-one-year-old Paul Feduc has had two years in 4-H field crops and has won championship awards. He is active in the F.U.A. and local co-operatives.

Six of these bursaries are awarded annually by the Alberta Wheat Pool to commemorate the name of Alberta's great farm leader, Henry Wise Wood. Two bursaries are available to students at each of the three agricultural schools in the province.

Funeral Rites Held For Alfred Shot

LAC LA BICHE MISSION — Funeral services were held for Alfred Shot who died in Ste. Catherine's Hospital, after a long illness, at the age of 79 years.

Mr. Shot was born at the Mission.

He is survived by two brothers and two nieces.

Funeral service took place at the Mission Church and was conducted by Rev. Fr. Picotte.

Pallbearers were Edgar, Narcisse, George and Alfred Ladouceur, Seme Shot and P. Warns.

You may be good, and it's fine to think so, but other people prefer to put it in their own words.

Town of Fort McMurray
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

NOTICE

ASSESSMENT ROLL NOTICE, 1963

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment of properties not subject to change for the year 1963 of the said municipality, made under the Assessment Act, has been authorized for use in the year 1963 and will be open for inspection throughout the month of January 1963, during office hours and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or wishes to object to his assessment or any assessment as being too high or too low must, within the said month of January, lodge his or her complaint(s) in writing to the secretary-treasurer of the municipality.

Dated at Fort McMurray this 13th day of December, 1962.

G. E. BUSSIERES,
Secretary-Treasurer.

This message comes to your house to tell you we appreciate your friendship, and to wish you and your family a Merry Christmas!

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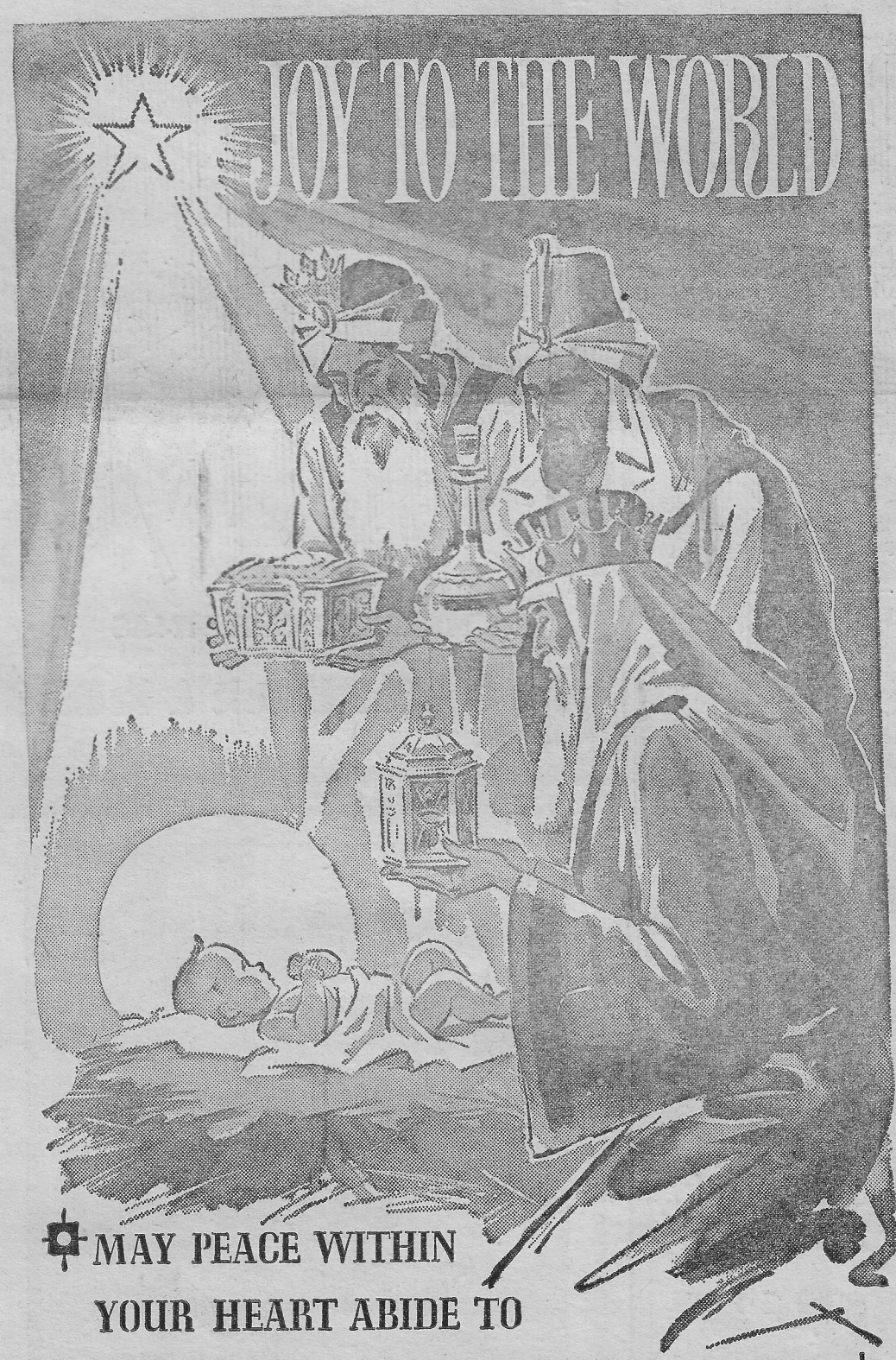

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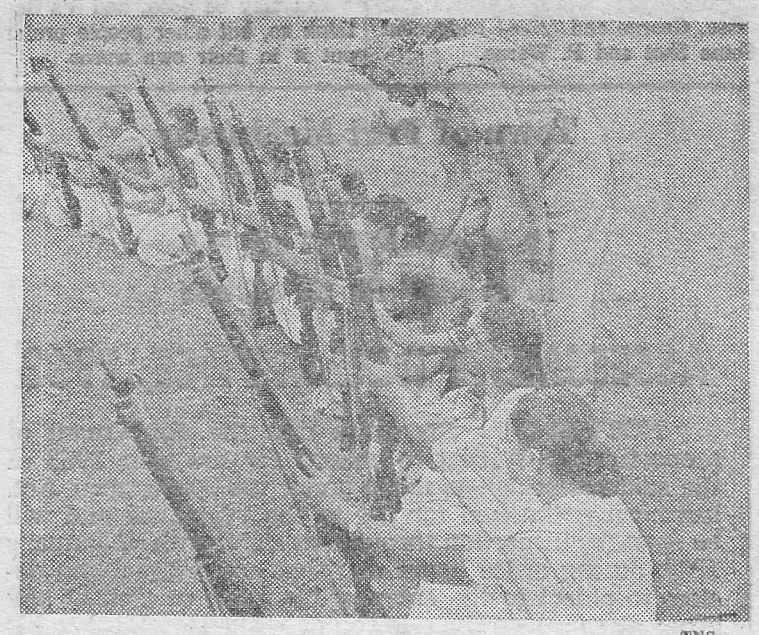

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WOMEN PREPARE. Despite cease-fire between India and China in Himalayan border war, India continues to prepare in case of Chinese duplicity. Above, Indian women are instructed in handling rifles at Tezpur Army camp in Assam.

Epileptic Foundation Asks For Vilna Support

VILNA—The Epileptic Foundation sent a newsletter to this paper asking for support in its work for rehabilitating the epileptic. Epilepsy is a seriously misunderstood malady.

The writer had many years of close experience with epileptics in the United States and in Canada. These people are perfectly normal until a fit takes them. Julius Caesar was an epileptic.

Imagine how terrible it must be to be capable of any job and yet not to be eligible to take that job because a sudden seizure might throw you under the wheels of the machine you're operating.

Epilepsy cannot be cured but it can be controlled with pills. The pills are the so-called tranquilizers. But they are a misleading agent because the body does not throw off the residue of the pills as fast as they are taken in. Consequently, the user is poisoned by residue as well as bothered with tension.

The only answer known so far is to hospitalize the patient and dry out his system of the residue before starting him again on pills.

Many of these patients carry pills in their pockets and a card in their billfold telling the finder to rush the patient to hospital if he passes out where a tranquilizer will be administered intravenously.

Owl River

Mrs. Toutant and sons George and Hector are living in their new home.

A Christmas concert will be given for the children in Owl River School. A raffle was held to buy treats for them.

Chamber Of Commerce Plans Turkey Bingo

VILNA — The Vilna Chamber of Commerce met recently to conduct their regular business.

It was decided to wind up the Boy Scout trip expenses from 1958 in spite of many difficulties due to the passage of time and pertinent people not being around.

A letter was received from the CNR saying that presently the stockyards cannot be moved but extra cleanliness would be assured around the lot.

A turkey bingo will be held on Friday by the Chamber.

Prizes are selected for the best decorated home and the best decorated place of business. The question of publicizing the recreational facilities of Vilna, a joint venture with St. Paul, is being given close study.

Dr. Frobb was chairman and 17 members were present. The question of store hours came up but no definite policy was set for the present.

Bingo News

VILNA—The Sacred Heart Church held a bazaar and bingo and wish to announce that the turnout was most gratifying.

First prize was won by Mr. Mason of the highway department. Second prize was taken by Michael Shysh and third prize was, strangely enough, won by the donor, Mrs. Mary Witkowich.

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Reporter Takes Drive; Sees Many Big Changes

By Anton Solar

VILNA—I took a trip down the Lac la Biche road starting from Chmilar's corner and drove north as far as the construction crew went this summer.

Where there had been a dry ravine, there was a creek this summer. A swamp turned into a lake and a lake turned into a flood. Farm settings that had idled for years beside a bush trail showed new fence-posts like they were celebrating their new status.

Windbreaks show fresh cuttings to uncover a view to the modest cottage.

Further down you come to the extensive spread of Steve Doktor. Everywhere newly peeled tamarac fence posts declare the new order. What had been the end of the line is now a showplace along the way.

Something of the old remains. Hay meadows with tell-tale clumps of moss tell the story of eternal bog. Thin, tall spruce with tufts of branches in tight bundles near the tops tell of days when the area must have been thickly forested to cause this struggle for the sun.

The cleared road allowance and the turnnig away of the actual roadbed told that human ingenuity could not surmount the difficulty of the terrain.

How the world has changed. In this country a man had to travel light to travel at all. Even winter travel was often restricted to the back bobsled travelling piggy-back. And yet to lay the roadbed the heaviest machinery that man has devised took into this country to do anything.

Fifty years ago a weight like a crawler tractor would have sunk like a penny in the ocean in this bog.

It does a body good to travel down this road. It makes one respect the pioneering spirit of the men who went forth in the early days into this forbidding land. They had faith in themselves and in the country. Every single one of these farmers along the way could preach you a sermon that would go like this, "The country owed me nothing till I proved myself. We are both the richer for it."

Ashmont Man Killed In B.C.

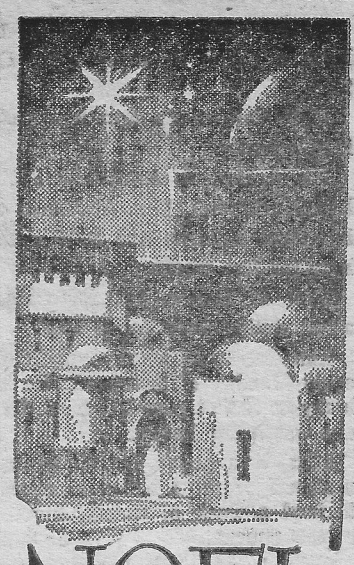
NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. — Alphonse Lyttle, 65, a deaf-mute from Ashmont, Alberta, was killed by a taxi during heavy rain during the weekend in nearby Surrey.

Mr. Lyttle was visiting friends on the British Columbia lower mainland.

Mrs. Joan Martin displays her second set of twins in Denver, Colo., while her mother, Mrs. Jeanne Galla, holds some of the money that comes with the twins. On a hunch, she took out twins insurance on her daughter with Lloyds of London six months before. The $117 investment brought $2,000.

The world's greatest personalities have been simple, unaffected human beings.

Crime may be all wrong but political influence in this country depends upon the votes you control.



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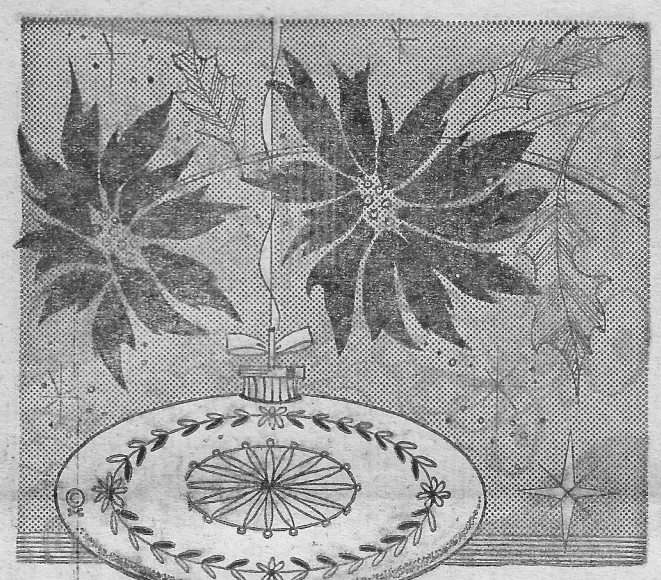

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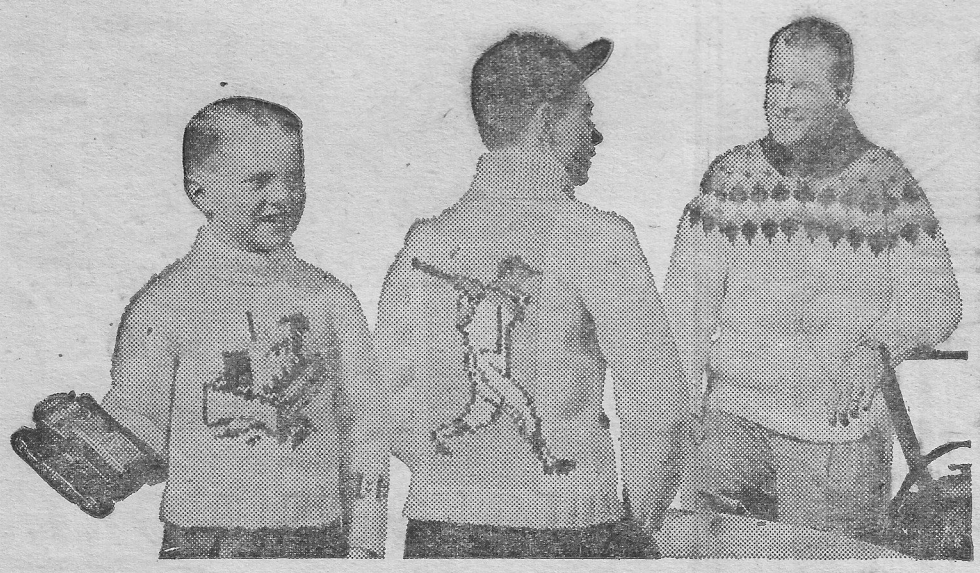

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Amber Valley

L. Robinson had his new 1963 Pontiac stolen Saturday night Dec. 7.

F. R. Falcorner's store was broken into recently.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Armistead left for home last week. Mrs. Armstead and her three children had been visiting here for five weeks.

Mrs. B. Bowen left for Calgary after visting here for a week.

Ken Edwards house caught fire early Monday of last week. He was lucky he hadn't gone to school. Damage was not to heavy.

Miss Evangelist Lydia Williams motored from Athabasca recently to hold a week of special meetings in the church.

Wilfred and Odelle Brown motored up from Calgary for a day last week.

The four hunters got two moose last week.

Alvery Carothers and Napoleon Snell drove up from Calgary for a day last week.

Bingo News

CASLAN—A large crowd gathered to play bingo, sponsored by the Caslan School Club, on the evening of December 7.

During the evening tickets on a raffle were drawn by little Donald Kniazky, Harry Wolansky won a flash camera; Tony Halitzky a flash lantern and Betty Gordey a doll.

HUBERT

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"On second thought, I think I'll chicken out on the beef ragout."

Boyle Scout And Cub Troop Will Sponsor Bottle Drive

BOYLE — The Boyle Troop of Scouts and Cubs will sponsor a bottle drive Jan. 4, 1963. Residents are asked, please keep extra bottles for the Cubs and Scouts.

An investiture will be held Jan. 11. Male assistants are urgently needed for the Cubs, and interested persons are asked to get in touch with the committee.

Donations have been received on behalf of the Cubs and Scouts from the Chamber of Commerce, Boyle and district, $50; Royal Canadian Legion, $50; Catholic Women's League, $25; Ladies' Auxiliary to the Legion, $25; Women's Institute, $25; Dr. Keys, $20.

The Committee thanks all who contributed to the Boyle and district groups.

Boys are invited to join; 8 to 11 years, Cubs; 12 years and up, Scouts.

A great many untruths begin with these words: " . . . is a fine person and I like her but . . ."

Town of Fort McMurray

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please be advised that the Town Office will be open to the public between the hours of 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday (excepting holidays).

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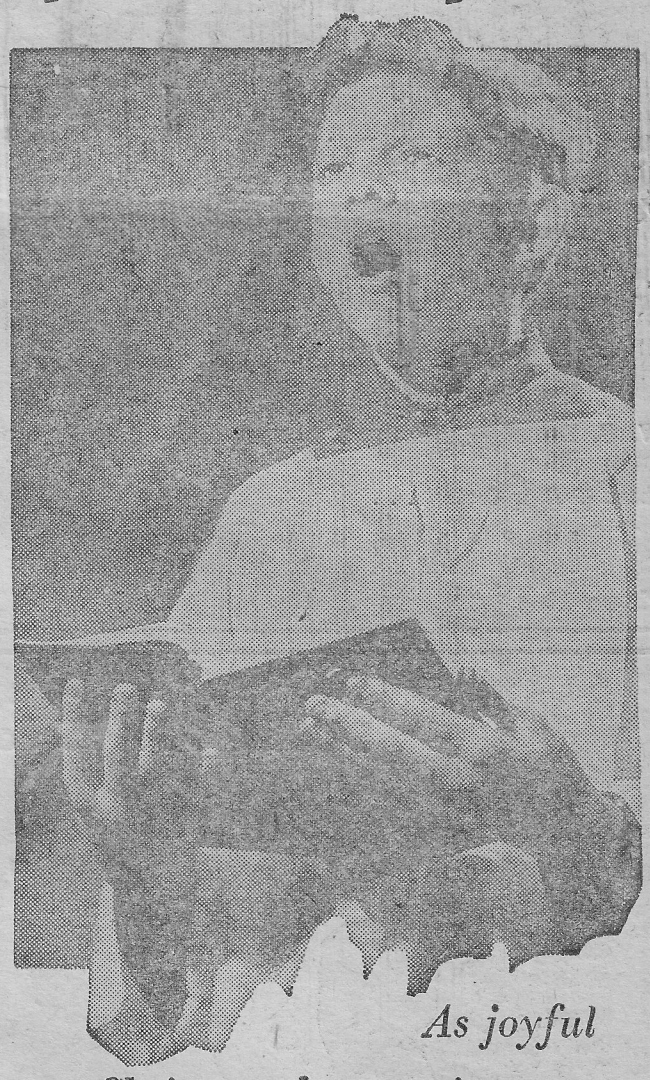

As joyful Christmas hymns ring out, so do our very best wishes.

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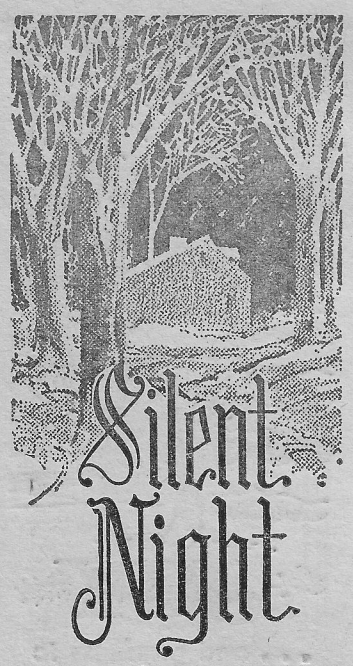

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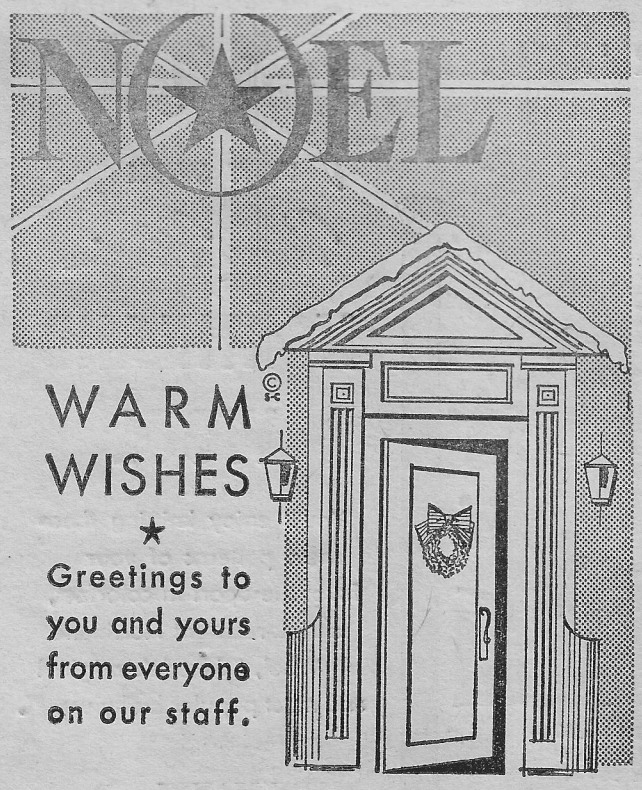

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Songs For The Holiday Season

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SMILES

There are smiles that make us happy
There are smiles that make us blue
There are smiles that steal away the teardrops
As the sunbeams steal away the dew
There are smile that have a tender meaning
That the eyes of love alone may see
And the smiles that fill my life with sunshine
Are the smiles that you give to me.

I'M FOREVER BLOWING BUBBLES

I'm forever blowing bubbles
Pretty bubbles in the air
They fly so high nearly reach the sky
Then like my dreams they fade and die
Fortune's always hiding, I've looked everywhere
I'm forever blowing bubble, pretty bubbles in the air.

WHEN YOU WORE A TULIP

When you wore a tulip, a sweet yellow tulip
And I wore a big red rose
When you caressed me, 'twas then heaven blest me
What a blessing no one knows
You made life cheerie when you called me dearie
'Twas down where the blue grass grows
Your lips were sweeter than julep when you wore that tulip
And I wore a big red rose.

PACK UP YOUR TROUBLES

Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag
And smile, smile, smile
While you've a lucifer to light your fag
Smile boys, that's the style
What's the use of worrying,
It never was worth while,
So pack up your troubles in your old kit bag
and smile, smile, smile.

'TILL WE MEET AGAIN

Smile the while you kiss me sad adieu
When the clouds roll by I'll come to you
Then skies will seem more blue
Down in Lover's lane my dearie
Wedding bells will ring so merrily
Every tear a memory
So wait and pray each night for me
'Till we meet again.

A BICYCLE BUILT FOR TWO

Daisy, Daisy
Give me your answer, do
I'm half crazy
All for the love of you
It won't be a stylish marriage
I can't afford a carriage
But you'll look sweet upon the seat
Of a bicycle built for two.

IN THE EVENING BY THE MOONLIGHT

In the evening by the moonlight
You can hear those darkies singing
In the evening by the moonlight
You can hear the banjos ringing
How the old folks would enjoy it
They would sit all night and listen
As we sang in the evening
By the moonlight.

CARRY ME BACK TO OLD VIRGINY

Carry me back to old Virginny
There's where the cotton and the corn and 'taters grow
There's where the birds warble sweet in the springtime
There's where this old darkey's heart am long to go
There's where I labored so hard for old Massa
Day after day in the fields of yellow corn
No place on earth do I love more sincerely
Than old Virginny, the place where I was born.

YOUNG LADY'S SECRET. Old Santa may be the busiest man in the world at this time of year, but he still has time to listen to five-year-old Mary Jane Monteith as she whispers what she wants for Christmas.

IF YOU WERE THE ONLY GIRL

If you were the only girl in the world,
And I were the only boy,
Nothing else would matter in the world today,
We could go on loving in the same old way;
A garden of Eden just made for two,
With nothing to mar our joy.
I would say such wonderful things to you;
There would be such wonderful things to do; If I were the only girl in the world,
And you were the only boy.

LET ME CALL YOU SWEETHEART

Let me call you sweetheart
I'm in love with you
Let me hear you whisper that you love me too
Keep the love light glowing in eyes so true
Let me call you sweetheart, I'm in love with you.

MY WILD IRISH ROSE

My wild Irish Rose, the sweetest flower that grows
You may search everywhere but none can compare
With my wild Irish Rose.
My wild Irish Rose, the dearest flower that grows
And some day for my sake she may let me take
The bloom from my wild Irish Rose.

MOONLIGHT BAY

We were sailing along, on Moonlight Bay
We could hear the voices ringing
They seemed to say
You have stolen my heart
Now don't go way
As we sang love's old sweet song on Moolight Bay.

THERE'S A TAVERN IN THE TOWN

There is a tavern in the town, in the town
And there my dear love sits him down, sits him down
And rinks his wine 'mid laughter free
And never, never thinks of me.
Chorus
Fare then well for I must leave thee
Do not let the parting grieve thee
And remember that the best of friends must part, must part;
Adieu, adieu kind friends, adieu, adieu, adieu.
I can no longer stay with you, stay with you,
I'll hang my harp on a weeping willow tree
And may the world go well with thee

PUT ON YOUR OLD GRAY BONNET

Put on your old gray bonnet with the blue ribbons on it
While I hitch old Dobin to the shay
And through the fields of clover
We'll up to Dover, on our golden wedding day.

IN THE SHADE OF THE OLD APPLE TREE

In the shade of the old apple tree,
Where the love in your eyes I could see
And the voice that I heard like the song of a bird
Seem'd to whisper sweet music to me.
I could hear the dull buzz of the bee
In the blossoms as you said to me,
With a heart that is true
I'll be waiting for you
In the shade of the old apple tree.

MEMORIES

Memories, memories,
Dreams of love so true
O'er the sea of memory
I'm drifting back to you
Childhood days, wildwood days
Among the birds and bees
You left me alone but still you're my own
In my beautiful memories.

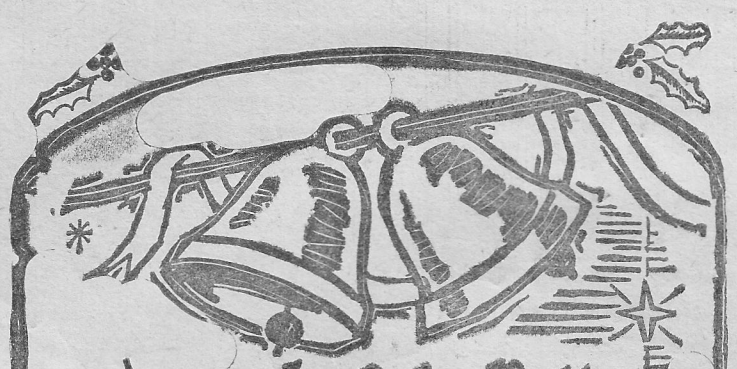
RESTRICTED

Two dogs met on the street and were having a chat.

"You seem unduly depressed," said one. "Why don't you go see a psychiatrist?"

"You know good and well," the other answered, "that I'm not allowed on the couch."

The religious soul who can answer all life's questions should be left in bliss.



Legend of the Bells

Many years ago, in the little town of Locen, Holland, there hung in the church tower two fine bells. Their clear tones gave comfort to all who heard them.

However, these bells had never been baptized, and one night, so the story goes, they disappeared from the church tower. The sorrowing townspeople searched everywhere, but the bells could not be found.

On the Eve of Christmas, the people longed for the joyous sound of the bells — proclaiming the Christmas spirit. Then, precisely at midnight, bell-like tones were heard through the snowy night. They seemed to be coming from a nearby pond.

Though the bells themselves were never found, each Christmas Eve, just at midnight, their chimes rang out over the town and the legend of the bells spread far and abroad.

Other towns, and other countries continued the custom of bell-ringing, and today it has become a beautiful part of the traditional celebration of Christmas.

Bonny Beach Is Dreamers Paradise

VILNA—Surprising how many families drive out to Bonny Beach at this time of the year. The buildings are deserted. The water is frozen, and only a white expanse of ice meets the eye as far as you can see.

There is nothing here that one could not see on Holman Island or Bank's Island in the Arctic, but the steady procession of cars comes and goes. One wonders whether it is to replenish a fading optimism for tomorrow or to relive the joys of last summer. Familiar objects bring to mind memories that would otherwise lay dormant.

Proximity to the beach may arouse the next best activity to actual participation. There is still the feeling of freedom from pressing duties or the ordered way of life one is so conscious of elsewhere. Perhaps the occupants of the cars have read of winter sports in such far-off places as Sun Valley.

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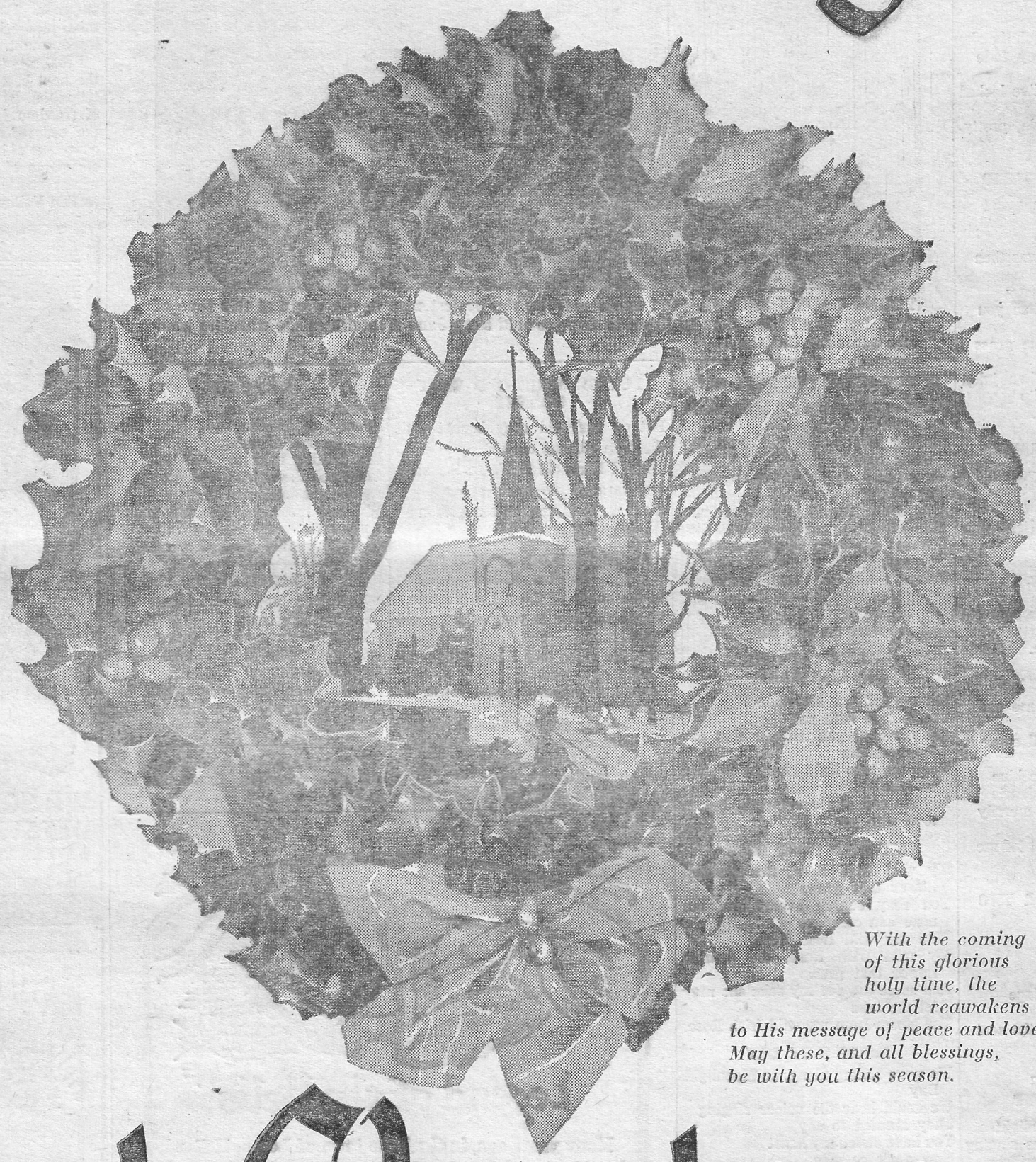

With the coming of this glorious holy time, the world reawakens to His message of peace and love. May these, and all blessings, be with you this season.

at Christmas

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